Setting up of micro enterprises during Eighth Five Year Plan

449. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whetner there is a proposal to set up seven lakh micro-enterprises during the Eighth Five Year Plan in Industry, Services and Busines;

(b) whether 40,000 micro-enterprises were proposed to be set up during the current financial year;

(c) if so, whether 2.2 lakh enterprises are being set up per year upto 1995;

(d) if so, whether Government propose to provide loan upto a ceiling of Rs. 1 lakh; and

(e) what are the total loan that Government will provide for each enterprise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) Under PMRY Scheme, there was a target to set up 40,000 micro enterprises during 1993-94. In 1994-95 the proposed target is for 2.2 lakh micro-enterprises.

(d) and (e) Projects upto Rs. 1 lakh are covered under the Scheme in case of individuals. If two or more eligible persons join together in partnership, the project with higher costs would also be covered provided share of each person in the project cost is Rs. 1 lakh or less. The beneficiaries are also entitled to get a subsidy upto a maximum limit of Rs. 7500/- They are also provided training and consaltancy services.

Acceleration of the Process of actual investment

450. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Central Government are working on a policy framework with active support of the State Governments to accelerate the process of actual investment on the ground;

(b) whether, as a sequel to the new initiatives by the Centre, more States are reviving their policies and procedures on a contiunous basis for creating an investor friendly environment;

(c) whether there is a competition among States to attract investment which has led to substantial changes and procedural simplification; and

(d) if so, how many industries have been developed in each State and what is the total investment made during 1993-94 by these industries in various States?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SMT. KRISHNA SAHI): (a) Yes, Sir. The Central Government is continuously interacting with the State Governments with the view to further streamlining the policies and procedures of the States so as to accelerate the process of actual investment on the ground.

(b) and (c) Yes, Sir.

(d) A statement showing statewise investment intentions for the year 1993-94 is annexed.

Statement

Industrial Entrepreneur Memorandum (I.E.M.) Field and proposed investment State-wise for the period 1-4-93 to 31-3-1994.

State Name	IEM Filed (Numbers)	Investment (Rs. Crore)	Employment (Numbers)
Andhra Pradesh	207	2969	34127
Assam	12	209	727
Bihar	39	827	3842
Gujarat	612	12013	36785
Haryana	242	2801	35834
Himachal Pradesh	44	639	12982
Jammu and Kashmir	9	28	726
Karnataka	145	934	13110
Kerala	49	795	8819
Madhya Pradesh	232	7241	47028
Maharashtra	1334	16444	198832
Meghalaya	1	29	
Orissa	26	1242	5891
Punjab	167	2500	51628
Rajasthan	185	1978	30603
Tamil Nadu	349	2962	56698
Uttar Pradesh	346	9207	66757
West Bengal	138	756	31856
Sikkim	2	12	322
Arunachal Pradesh	1	35	23
Chandigarh	4	7	570
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	130	1021	14543
Delhi	93	514	7115
Goa	38	845	3794
Lakshadweep	1	4	278
Pondicherry	45	150	3501
Daman & Diu	88	317	7290
TOTAL	4539	66479	723946